## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title of the Invention: NUCLEOLAR TARGETING OF THERAPEUTICS AGAINST HIV

## **AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action mailed December 31, 2002, please kindly amend the application as follows: